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1. In early April 1955 Dr. Sochanek (fmu), who had been chief of the Polish medical mission in North Korea since 1954, returned to Poland. The reasons for his recall, probably at the request of the North Korean authorities, were corruption and "outrageous behavior".
2. Dr. Sochanek is currently awaiting trial. No additional Polish medical staff has been sent to Korea since his return.

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